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He Forgot One Very Important Thing, However, and His Last Plunging Wager Brought Ruin and Tragedy In Its Wake.

A gentleman who lives in the Blue Grass and who has been a very extensive traveler has a silver service so magnificent in design and heavy in weight that its peers in the whole world may be numbered on the fingers of one hand. The owner is even now, when past middle age, a "good fellow," who loves conviviality, and no game is too hazardous for him if he has the amount of the stakes. He takes pleasure in telling the history of his service, as it concerns the most audacious game of chance he ever witnessed.

"When I was in Bolivia some years ago," he always begins, "I got in with a crowd of men, English and natives, whose passion for gambling knew no bounds. Strange as it may seem, none of them knew poker, and I made myself solid with them by teaching them, but their great game was roulette.

"There was a little shop in Bogota where they had a miniature Monte Carlo, and many nights did we spend around the great wheel, with our money and prospects hanging on the black or red. The wheel was entirely made of wood, and when it was spun around a cover was put over the machine so that they could keep on betting when It had ceased to turn.

"There is a worm down there in that climate that gets into furniture and bores until nothing but a shell is left. You may sit on a chair that looks perfectly strong, but at the first touch it collapses. This seems irrelevant, but it is not, as you may see later. In fact, that worm plays the title role in the tragedy I am going to

"There was a wealthy Bolivian planter who had been a general in the war between Bolivia and Chile back in the early eighties. He was never absent a night from our games, but he would frequently stand about for a week and never make a bet larger than \$10. Then he would suddenly cry out just as the operator was about to lift the cover and register the highest bet the house would permit. Next he would place all the money he could find takers for among the gentlemen present. Before the season was far advanced he had won great sums, and we had all felt the results of his freakish luck. It seemed that when he played 7black he could not lose, and he seemed to realize it, for when he did call that number he would put all he owned in the balance.

"Still he was a gentleman and a fa-mous duelist, and no one cared to question his methods. It went on this way for two months. Then one night the wheel stopped, and there was the silence of the prairies in the room. We could hear the ball fall into the compartment distinctly. We could hear the distant tinkling of a mandolin. The planter leaped up as from a catalepsy: 'Seven-black, senores. I will take all any of you or all of you will bet.' Well, I had been winning strong and was so much to the good that I was reckless.

"'Five dollars,' I said. "'Good, senor,' he replied.

"He placed his entire fortune in different wagers. There were a number of strangers present, and they all seemed big flush. Then slowly, as a priest officiating at some solemn, barbaric ceremony, the banker removed the top. We all stood for a moment, and the tension was such that a carriage wheel on the cobblestones outside made us all start. 'Red,' came the announcement.

"The Bolivian was white as snow, but his voice was unshaken as he said: Gentlemen, you shall all be paid. As for me, I am ruined.'

"That night he shot himself, and his will, which had been written just before his death, arranged for the payment of all his debts. I was to receive the service for my share, though it is worth much more. But what I valued much more than that was a note in which he expressed his attachment for me and asked me to accept the silver as a gift and not a debt.

"He left also a curious manuscript, written some time before, which seemed to be a sort of private journal. He stated in this that his ears were so accurate that he could detect the difference between the fall of a pin and a needle. One night, so he says, he heard the ball fall into the compartment with a hollow thud, and when the machine was opened he made note of the number and color, '7-black.' Later, when alone for a moment, he found that the aforesaid worm had bored under that compartment. He sounded the excavation with a straw and found that it extended no farther than that one number. Then all he had to do was to listen and when his acute hearing told him that his number had come to get all the money possible on it.

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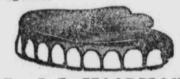
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